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1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114
 - a. ☐ Previously submitted
 - i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on _____.
 - ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____.
 - iii. ☐ Other _____.
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 - i. ☒ Amendment/Reply
 - ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
 - iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
 - iv. ☐ Other _____
2. Miscellaneous
 - a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months.
 - b. ☐ Other _____
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 - i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e);
 - ii. ☐ *-Month Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17); and
 - iii. ☐ Other _____.
 - b. ☒ The Director (or the Commissioner) is hereby authorized to charge any fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 50-0805 (Order No.: P.ASTGP123).

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